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(54) Improvements in or relating to radiation sensitive devices.

(57) A radiation sensitive device is provided with a discontinuous covering layer to improve vacuum draw down. The covering layer is produced by forming a solution or dispersion of the layer-forming material in a liquid hydrocarbon. Drops of the solution or dispersion are then sprayed onto the radiation sensitive device to form the discontinuous covering layer.

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